

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No.	:	10/595,603	Confirmation No.:	3360
Applicant	:	Peters et al.		
Filing Date	:	April 28, 2006		
Title	:	Percutaneous Gas-Line		
Group Art Unit	:	4177		
Examiner	:	Gary Porter, Jr.		
Docket No.	:	13634.4010		
Customer No.	:	34313		

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 21, 2008, please amend the application as follows.

Amendments to the specification are provided on page 2.

Amendments to the claims are provided in a listing of claims beginning on page 3.

Remarks are provided beginning at page 6.